

State of South Dakota

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1252

Introduced by: Representatives Gibson, Blake, Boomgarden, Gosch, Killer, Schrempp, and
Wismer and Senators Bradford and Maher

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to require the placement of fluorescent orange material on
2 certain big game hunting blinds.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. That § 41-8-41 be amended to read as follows:

5 41-8-41. Any person hunting any big game animal, except turkey, with a firearm shall wear
6 in a visible manner one or more fluorescent orange exterior garments. The exterior garment shall
7 be a hat, cap, shirt, jacket, vest, coverall, or poncho worn above the waist. If the person is
8 hunting from a blind or uses other materials to provide concealment, the person shall place a
9 piece of fluorescent orange material that is at least one square foot in size outside of the blind
10 or cover so that it is visible to other hunters in the immediate area. A violation of this section
11 is a Class 2 misdemeanor.

